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Via ECF

January 5, 2015

Magistrate David R. Strawbridge
U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
601 Market Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106

In re: *Cases listed on the attached Exhibit A*

Dear Judge Strawbridge:

Our office is in receipt of your December 2, 2014 orders regarding settlement conferences scheduled for January 13 and 14, 2015 in Philadelphia. Our office requests that the 14 plaintiffs be allowed to appear by telephone. The plaintiffs reside in many states, including Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Missouri, Virginia, Florida, and Texas, and would have to expend significant time and resources in order to all travel to Philadelphia to attend in person. Furthermore, all the plaintiff's have been contacted and advised to be available by phone for the entire day that their settlement conference is scheduled.

Respectfully,



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Exhibit A -- 1/5/2015 letter of Michael P. Cascino

List of Cases

CLIENT NAME	E.D. Pa. Nos.
Arseneault, Clovis	10-CV-67621
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Luna, Sr., David	13-CV-60002
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